

## IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 10-17 and amend the remaining claims as follows.

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

### Listing of Claims:

1-17. (Cancelled)

18. (Previously Presented) A system comprising:

a footpiece formed to fit onto a foot of a user, the footpiece having a bottom surface;

a first fastening element attached to the bottom surface of the footpiece;

a sport board having a top surface;

a second fastening element attached to the top surface of the sport board, the second fastening element shaped to cooperate with the first fastening element to removably affix the bottom surface of the footpiece to the top surface of the sport board;

a removable sole having an upper and a lower surface; and

a third fastening element attached to the upper surface of the removable sole, the third fastening element shaped to cooperate with the first fastening element to removably affix the removable sole to the bottom surface of the footpiece.

19. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 18, wherein the first, second, and third fastening elements are at least one of a plurality of hook fasteners and a plurality of loop fasteners.

20. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 19, wherein the first fastening element is a plurality of hook fasteners and the second and third fastening elements are a plurality of loop fasteners.
21. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 20, wherein the loop fasteners on the top surface of the sport board are divided into a first foot pad and a second foot pad with a gap between the first and second foot pads.
22. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 21, wherein the bottom surface of the footpiece is of a material that provides suitable friction on pavement, a sidewalk, or other conventional walking surfaces for walking.
23. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 22, wherein the footpiece includes a lace attached thereto to adjust the fit of the footpiece on the user's foot.
24. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 23, wherein the removable sole comprises rubber.
25. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 24, wherein the sport board is at least one of a surfboard, wakeboard, skim board, skateboard, sailboard, wake skate, and wake surfboard.
26. (Currently Amended) A method comprising:  
removably affixing a bottom surface of a footpiece to a top surface of a sport board, the footpiece being formed to fit onto a foot of a user;

removing the bottom surface of the footpiece from the top surface of the a sport board; and

removably affixing an upper surface of a removable sole to the bottom surface of the a footpiece.

27. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 26, wherein the bottom surface of the footpiece has a first fastening element attached thereto, the top surface of the sport board has a second fastening element attached thereto, and the upper surface of the removable sole has a third fastening element attached thereto.

28. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 27, wherein the first, second, and third fastening elements are at least one of a plurality of hook fasteners and a plurality of loop fasteners.

29. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 28, wherein the footpiece includes a lace attached thereto to adjust the fit of the footpiece on the user's foot.

30. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 29, wherein the removable sole comprises rubber.

31. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 30, wherein the sport board is at least one of a surfboard, wakeboard, skim board, skateboard, sailboard, wake skate, and wake surfboard.